

# Save the Date!

## Parent and Professional Learning Community Workshop

October 9-10, 2015

Devils Lake, ND



"It is evident that political and philosophical "preferences" with regard to deaf children's language and learning frequently have trumped research, either ignoring relevant findings or thinking that the obtaining of such evidence is unnecessary." - Dr. Marc Marschark -

## Raising and Educating Deaf Children in the 21st Century



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### Dr. Marc Marschark

Dr. Marc Marschark is Director of the Center for Education Research Partnerships at the National Technical Institute for the Deaf, a college of Rochester Institute of Technology, and Editor of the Journal of Deaf Studies and Deaf Education. His research focuses on relations of language and learning among deaf and hard-of-hearing students in formal and informal settings.



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### Karen Putz

Karen Putz is a national speaker, writer, Passion Coach, and competitive barefoot water skier. She is the founder and a member of the Illinois Hands & Voices. She discusses her journey from growing up and then eventually losing her hearing and how she dealt with the emotions that came along with it.

More details coming in September.